

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & NEGOTIATIONS COMMITTEE MINUTES  
FEBRUARY 18, 2020**

**SIGN IN**

**TIM ELLIOTT  
ANDY MATHES  
BRIAN KONZEN  
ED HAGNAUER  
BOB PICKERELL  
GREG KOBERNA  
TAMMIE GRACEY**

**MARY DAVIS  
PAUL JACKSTADT  
DAN MCDOWELL  
GERALD WILLIAMS  
WALMER SCHMIDTKE  
BRAD EAVENSON**

Alderman Elliott called the Economic Development & Negotiations Committee Meeting to order.

Elliott stated that we are going to skip to number three an Ordinance to amend section 6.04.010 of the Granite City Municipal Code, this is up for approval tonight and we would like to allow beekeeping in the City.

**MOTION By Elliott, second by Jackstadt to approve an Ordinance to amend section 6.04.010 of the Granite City Municipal Code. ALL VOTED YES. Motion Carried.**

Elliott stated that next 1 and 2 these go together the purchase of the shingle property and to hire TIF Legal Counsel and turned over to the Mayor to discuss.

Mayor stated that the City is looking at purchasing the shingle property; using the shingle possibly for city alleyways; we would be using TIF with this purchase of the property and need to seek Legal Counsel on the TIF.


**MOTION By Elliott, second by Mathes to approve a Resolution hiring TIF Legal Counsel for the City. ALL VOTED YES. Motion Carried.**

Mayor stated that this is all informational; he and Economic Director Hamilton throwing around ideas of ways to get people to sign up for the Census by using incentives and would like the Council to think about these ideas. In addition, the Fire Museum is in need of repair to the outside facade is falling off and would like the Council to think about what we could possibly to fix the problem.

**MOTION By Elliott, second by McDowell to adjourn the Economic Development & Negotiations Committee Meeting. ALL VOTED YES. Motion Carried.**

**MEETING ADJOURNED.**

**Attest  
Judy Whitaker  
City Clerk**



*Tim Elliott*  
*MAR 3, 2020*